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Dear Ms. Pittman,

I write to respond to your January 6, 2009 letter requesting additional information ("RFAI"). The RFAI raises two issues--(1) failure to file 48-hour notices for certain contributions, and (2) failure to report a contribution on the report for which a 48-hour notice was filed.

To address your first concern, I have reviewed the three transactions you identify. All three contributions were properly reported on the 48-hour notice filed by the Committee on October 23. The contribution dates listed on the attachment to your letter are incorrect for the two PAC contributions, both were received on October 22 and reported with that date in the 30 Day Post General Report.

To address your second concern, I have reviewed the October 31 receipt from TCF Bank. You allege that a 48-hour notice reporting this contribution was filed and that no corresponding entry appears on the 30 Day Post General Report. Quite to the contrary, I find no record of a 48-hour notice for this "other receipt," interest on a savings account. Additionally, the interest was properly reported on line 15 of Schedule A of the report. The Committee reads 11 CFR 104.5(f) to require 48-hour notices for contributions, not to other receipts. In the context of reports generally, 11 CFR 104.3(a)(3) clearly differentiates between contributions and other receipts as separate categories. The Committee maintains that it has correctly reported this receipt.

Thank you for bringing these concerns to the Committee's attention. Should you have any questions about the Committee's response to your concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Chris Marston
Treasurer